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Subject: RE: additional questions on Hoosick Falls

Inside EPA deadline is mid-day tomorrow, 1/28.

From: Enck, Judith
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Hi everyone; we now have three big media requests

1. This one from inside epa
2. Brendan Lyons from Albany Times Union on private wells above 100ppt
3. Mary Esch from Associated Press

I am in meetings all day with USVI. I am going to rely on Pat Evangelista to play traffic cop and ensure that all the substantive issue people (Pat, Paul, Angela, Joan and me) all review and sign off on any written statements. We will then ask Pat to send the drafts to Nancy Grantham and Liz Purchia for their review and sign off.

I am available to talk with reporters by phone after they received our final written statements. Pat, you are going to need a whistle and white gloves to keep these all straight and moving rapidly. I think with associated press and Times Union we have until tomorrow. Not sure what the inside EPA deadline is.

thanks

From: Evangelista, Pat
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I suggest sharing the Qs with the drafted As.

From: Bowser, Andre

Sent: Wednesday, January 27, 2016 10:49 AM

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Forwarding to DC as heads up.

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Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 27, 2016, at 10:24 AM, Martin, John <Martin.JohnJ@epa.gov> wrote:

Hi Pat and Angela,

We have another set of questions, this time from Inside EPA. Reporter's deadline is tomorrow, Thursday mid-day (Jan. 28).

Angela- please have a look at the NPL questions and provide input when you get the chance.

Pat- I couldn't find the letter Judith references, but I've tried to draft a response to #'s 5 and 6. Please provide input on these.

Thank you both,
John

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John,
I have some more questions in addition to the ones I sent on Friday, Jan. 22. Since then, I found EPA's webpage on Hoosick Falls and read through Administrator Enck's recent speech there.

In it, she says she wrote to Saint-Gobain and the village of Hoosick Falls recommending several actions, such as for households to be given 5 gallons of bottled water per day. Could I obtain a copy of this letter from you?

Also, has Saint-Gobain or the village responded to this letter? If so, what did they say?

It looks like Ms. Enck's slide #15 accompanying her Jan. 14 speech outline the letter to Saint-Gobain and the village. But can you clarify: is she asking those two entities to conduct these activities and pay for them? Or would costs be split? I'm referring to the supply of bottled water, the sampling of private wells, and the private wells' point of entry treatments or temporary public water treatment actions.

My next deadline is Thursday mid-day (Jan. 28).

Thanks.

Sincerely,
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